February 7, 2012

Re: <u>Hawaiian Dredging Construction Company, Inc.</u> Case 37-CA-8316

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Dear Counsels:

This acknowledges the receipt in this office on February 6, 2012 of your "Motion to Strike Respondent's Reply to Counsel for the Acting General Counsel's Opposition to Respondent's Motion for Summary Judgment" in this case. Your motion to strike is **denied**.

With respect to motions, it is the Board's policy to allow each party an opportunity to file one response, i.e., the Acting General Counsel was permitted to file an opposition to the Respondent's Motion for Summary Judgment, and the moving party, the Respondent, was entitled to file a reply to the opposition. See *D.L. Baker, Inc.*, 330 NLRB 521 (2000), fn.4. Accordingly, the Respondent's February 3, 2012 Reply was properly filed, and has been forwarded to the Board for its consideration.

Very truly yours,

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